By allowing a single company to own both news and TV media is clearly a conflict of interest issue. It is also anti-capitalistic, by removing competition from the marketplace and replacing it with monopolies. Having come from a communist country, I am afraid that US will sink into the media norm of a communist country. If the media is owned by the state or a single private entity makes no difference. The only way that there can be freedom of opinion and fair competition is for there to be no monopolies over public media. It is in the interest of America to make sure that there always exists a competition in the news media marketplace.